Scott R. Lister, P.E.



Assistant Commander for Expeditionary Support Naval Facilities Engineering Systems Command

Mr. Lister is the Assistant Commander for Expeditionary Support and Director, Expeditionary Business Line (EXBL) for the Naval Facilities Engineering Systems Command (NAVFAC). He was selected as a Senior Level (SL) Executive and began this position in January 2021. In this role, he is responsible for leading NAVFAC's expeditionary and contingency support functions and NAVFAC's responsibilities as the Navy's Expeditionary SYSCOM, Expeditionary Table of Allowance (TOA) Manager and Navy Expeditionary Combat Enterprise (NECE) Operations Coordinator.

Mr. Lister previously served as the Executive Director, U. S. Navy Experimental Diving Unit, Naval Sea Systems Command from 2015 – 2020. As the senior civilian in the command, he assisted the Commanding Officer in the planning and execution of NEDU programs as well as technical and organizational management of the Command.

Prior to rejoining the Federal Workforce, Mr. Lister spent three and a half years in the private sector supporting the U. S. Government as a Defense Contractor managing a Global Contingency Construction Multiple Award Contract and providing Engineering Services in Houston, Texas. Previously, Mr. Lister served for 26 years as a Civil Engineer Corps Officer in the United States Navy retiring as a Captain in 2011.

Mr. Lister's Operational Naval Construction Force Assignments included three Seabee tours: Amphibious Construction Battalion One – Commanding Officer and Operations Officer, and Naval Mobile Construction Battalion One Thirty Three – Company Officer/Detail Officer in Charge. Mr. Lister also served during Operation Iraqi Freedom as the Assistant Chief of Staff for Engineering, Multi-National Security Transition Command, Iraq where he managed the construction program for the Iraqi Security Forces.

Mr. Lister's Acquisition assignments included: Director of the Ocean Facilities Program and Expeditionary Programs Office, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, and Assistant Program Manager for Underwater Facilities, Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command. Mr. Lister's Facilities Management assignments included: Public Works Officer/Officer in Charge of Construction, Naval Station Mayport, Fla and Naval Station Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico; Resident Officer in Charge of Construction, Guam;

Engineering Officer, Navy Experimental Diving Unit, Panama City, Fla.; Aide to the Chief of Civil Engineers, Washington DC; and Public Works Planning Officer, Naval Air Station Patuxent River, Md.

Mr. Lister graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Petroleum Engineering. He earned a Master of Engineering degree in Ocean Engineering from Texas A & M University and a Master of Business Administration degree from San Diego State University. He also completed the University of Michigan Executive Education Program. Mr. Lister is a member of the Department of the Navy Acquisition Professional Community and a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Texas. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Society of American Military Engineers.

Mr. Lister received the Department of the Navy Meritorious Civilian Service Award, Legion of Merit with Gold Star in lieu of second award, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with Gold Star in lieu of fourth award, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal with Gold Star in lieu of Fourth Award, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, and other personal, service, unit, and campaign awards.